

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

PRINCE PAUL RAYMOND WILLIAMS,  
Plaintiff,  
v.  
ABAGAIL MESSA, et al.,  
Defendants.

Case No. 1:21-cv-01660-DAD-BAM

**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S  
APPLICATION TO PROCEED WITHOUT  
PREPAYMENT OF FEES OR COSTS**

(Doc. 4)

Plaintiff Prince Paul Raymond Williams ("Plaintiff"), proceeding pro se, filed this action on November 17, 2021. (Doc. 1.) Plaintiff did not pay the filing fee in this action and instead filed an application to proceed in forma pauperis pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915. (Doc. 2.) On December 7, 2021, the Court ordered Plaintiff to file a Long Form IFP application to clarify his answers on his original IFP application. (Doc. 3.) On December 21, 2021, Plaintiff filed a Long Form IFP Application. (Doc. 4.) Plaintiff has made the showing required by section 1915(a), and accordingly, the request to proceed in forma pauperis will be granted. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a).

Plaintiff is advised that the Court is required to screen complaints of pro se litigants proceeding in forma pauperis pursuant to Title 28 of the United States Code section 1915(e)(2). The Court must dismiss a complaint or portion thereof if the action is legally "frivolous or malicious," fails to state a claim upon which relief may be granted, or seeks monetary relief against a defendant who is immune from such relief. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2)(B). As a result, no

1 summons will issue at this time. The Court will direct the United States Marshal to serve  
2 Plaintiff's complaint only after the Court has screened the complaint and determined that it  
3 contains cognizable claims for relief against the named defendants. The Court will screen  
4 Plaintiff's complaint in due course.

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6 IT IS SO ORDERED.

7 Dated: January 3, 2022

/s/ Barbara A. McAuliffe  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE